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## Career Experience:

### **FREELANCE 2D/3D DESIGNER/ANIMATOR. AKQA (OCTOBER 2009 & JANUARY 2010)**

Duties: Animated text, environment and composited 3D elements for new cell phone informational sizzle video. Successfully managed completion of project while art director was out of town. Troubleshoot compression for client review and final presentation on the website. Edited, animated and sound designed an informational video that allowed the client to envision the benefits to both the consumer and continued brand retention if they become the early adopters of a new technology.

Project: Motorola Droid website sizzle video, Tylenol new-technology pitch video

### **FREELANCE PHARMA MOTION GRAPHICS ARTIST. CLINE DAVIS MANN; SUPERNOVA (JULY & SEPT 2009; NOV 2009)**

Duties: Edit length of 4-minute segment to quicken tempo of B2B presentation. End result: 1-minute & 45 seconds. Animate end logo resolve. Consultant for project management and workflow solutions. Projects are for pharmaceutical brands. Enhanced look, edited, color keyed, created animated layouts and type design for the video portions of the interactive educational DVD for rheumatists explaining new scientific discoveries regarding a rare form of rheumatoid arthritis.

### **FREELANCE ANIMATOR. B2 STUDIOS (AUGUST/SEPTEMBER 2009)**

Duties: Editor and animator for graphics portion of educational commercial series. Clean up and repurpose board elements for new scenes.

Projects: The Disney Channel "What A Life" Mariachi Divas and Bicycle Grandfather

### **ARTIST. NBC AGENCY: The Magic Room (2007 - 2009)**

Duties: 2D & 3D Designer, compositor and animator. Artist for on-air promos, packaging and corporate videos. Logo design & brand packaging.

Projects: NBC Super Bowl XLIII Promo Package, NBC "Everywhere" Logo & Package Design, NBC on United Package, "The More You Know" 2007

### **SR DESIGNER ANIMATOR. DIRECTV: On-Air Creative Services (2005 - 2007)**

Duties: Designer, compositor and animator. Color Finishing. Storyboard artist for on-air promos, packaging and corporate videos. Logo design.

Projects: Nascar Hotpass 2007 Promo, UFC #66 Promo for DIRECTV PayPerView, UFC Holiday Ids for DIRECTV PayPerView, CDUSA Redesign 2006, 2006 DVR In-Box Demo

### **DESIGNER. G4TV: On-Air Graphics (2005)**

Duties: Designer for Attack of the Show as well as special projects for Cinematech, G4TV.com, X-Play, sponsored segments and network promos.

### **FREELANCE SR. DESIGNER/ANIMATOR. STARDUST, PIC AGENCY, LAMBO (2007 - 2009)**

Projects: SciFi & Directv VisionsForTomorrow.net 2008 promo, The Bourne Ultimatum (Open Title Animation), National Geographic presents An Arctic Tale (End Credit Roll), Walmart "Fresh Produce" Campaign

### **FREELANCE DIRECTOR / PRODUCER. ALLOY MARKETING (2005)**

Duties: Design and execute 4 different 2K logo bumpers for FreshPic and a :30 promo for a "Win a trip to Hollywood Sweepstakes" for college campus theaters nationwide. Manage budgeting, talent placement, production and post-production needs of project from concept to completion.

### **FREELANCE DESIGNER / ANIMATOR (2003 - 2005)**

Employers: OmieBlue Digital Film Productions, Digital Kitchen, Cartel Impacto, Cooked Creative Post and Brass Knuckles Editorial

Clients: Church's Chicken/House of Crunch, AT&T, Dreamworks, GM, Limp Bizkit, Chingy, Mazda, Electronic Arts, Atari, Fox & Charles Schwab

Duties: Freelance storyboards, design and animation for television and film, viral marketing campaign design.

### **SR. WEB DESIGNER / ANIMATOR (2003-2007)**

Clients: OmieBlue, Concept Elite Salon, Mystik Alchemy, Index Design House, Debefore Records, United Divas

Duties: Freelance Web Design for small businesses and entrepreneurs

### **SR. GRAPHIC DESIGNER / ANIMATOR. OPEN ROAD ENTERTAINMENT (2001 - 2002)**

Clients: Sony, Universal, Miramax, Fox, Paramount, Screen Gems

Duties: Executed all motion graphics and title design for both movie trailers and television previews for feature length films. Created all TV campaign graphics for "The Bourne Identity" and "Panic Room". Coordinated and prepped all graphics for final finish.

### **JR. DESIGNER. JACOB'S-RAHI INC, D.INC DESIGN (July 2000-July 2001)**

Clients: KCET, Relief Band, Canal Fox, Fox Latin America, D.inc Design

Duties: Broadcast Design and Animation. Location Scout and camera operator. Designed company website for D.Inc Design.

## Related Personal Projects:

### **UNITED DIVAS INC (MAR 2002-Present)**

A charitable 501(c)3 non-profit corporation to empower women to become artistic leaders, professionals, innovators, and role models for both aspiring and practicing artists. Awarded 2 scholarships to low-income art students in 2008. See website for more details. <http://www.uniteddivas.com>

### **SHOUTED WHISPER (2006)**

An online literary publication that features short fiction, poetry and visual narratives.

### **UNTITLED: 001 DARKNESS EXPERIMENT FOR BELIEF(EXP) (MAY 2000-JUNE 2000)**

One-minute piece based on the "Exquisite Corpse" method of production. Collaboration with 12 companies based on the theme of "Darkness". Shown at Promax & BDA Conference 2000, as well as Res Fest 2000. Proceeds from vhs distribution started a scholarship fund for an annual motion design competition for colleges. Submission is titled, "Its not easy being a clown..." (Project #08)

## Education:

### **BFA IN DIGITAL MEDIA DESIGN (OTIS COLLEGE OF ART AND DESIGN, MAY 2000)**

Focus: Broadcast Design, 3-D Animation, & Special FX

### **Software Knowledge:**

Expert: After Effects, Photoshop, Illustrator | Proficient: Cinema 4D, Final Cut Pro, Flash, Dreamweaver, Traktor DJ

### **Special Skills:**

Develops strong conceptual ideas with practical applications. Consistently meets deadlines. Demonstrates natural leadership ability. Self-motivated. Strong multi-tasking. Operates both the Cannon XL-1 & the Cannon GL-1/GL-2. Music fanatic and DJ for 10 years.

## Awards:

Silver BDA award for Informational Graphics for the 2006 DIRECTV DVR In-Box Demo.

Gold In-Design award for the HD reality travel show Project MyWorld (only on DIRECTV) logo.